

Appleby Archaeology

Notes of the Committee Meeting of the Appleby Archaeology Group held on Thursday June 15th 2006 at Pear Tree Cottage Skirwith..

Present

Harry Hawkins	Chairman
Phyllis Rouston	Secretary
Martin Joyce	Publicity
Martin Railton	Newsletter Editor
Nic Bisset	

Apologies

Richard Stevens Patricia Crompton Mike Godfrey

Notes of the last meeting

Correction 4/3/06 to Martin Joyce. With that correction notes agreed as correct record.

1/6/06 Matters arising from the Notes

5/12/05 Eden Project Martin R reported back. Richard Bradley's lecture had been well attended. There are to be other talks but the speakers have not yet been named. Field walking has not got underway. Display at Penrith Museum is open.

7/12/05 Penrith Museum A further letter was sent. No decision was reached at the Community and Economic Committee meeting and the matter is to be referred to the full Council.. Harry had received a questionnaire for further comments but those present felt that the letter sent had covered all the issues the committee wished to raise.

6/10/05 Web site. Harry had not contacted Mike Sunderland. It was agreed to keep raising the issue with members and hope that someone, at some time, would be interested to developing a web site.

2/6/06 Treasurer's report

Phyllis had received an e mails from Mike stating the financial position.

Balance on 14th June was £1285 40 which includes the surplus from the conference.

Richard had notified Harry as follows:

"I have not heard from Awards for All since I sent them the report in April. So, looks as though we will not have to pay anything back. However, taking into consideration the time they take to do anything, there is obviously still the possibility. I will call them to confirm. Should we try to get a projector out of them, or is it someone else's turn?.

3/6/06 Purchase of a projector and Future Funding

Martin Joyce has the opportunity to purchase a second hand projector for power point presentation from Milburn School. He was able to demonstrate its functions to the meeting. and it was agreed, that provide the price asked was acceptable, we should take advantage of the offer 2007 conference. Committee members were asked to find out about possible sources.

4/6/07 Membership

There had bee some response form the reminders, Harry to ask Liz to forward the current

membership list to MartinR for Newsletter distribution. Phyllis had had a few e mail addresses from members. It was agreed to to keep the membership advised of this means of communication.

5/6/06 Summer Programme 2006

The evening walk to Oddendale had been well supported and the trip to Dilston was fully booked. The visit to Newbiggin Hall will be on Thursday July 13th meeting at 7pm.

6/6/06 Winter Programme 2006/07

Gareth Davies will speak on *The Sedgeford Project: 10 years of research in a Norfolk parish* at the December meeting.

Martin Joyce will be the second speaker at the member's evening, his topic *Holy Wells in Eden*

7/6/06 Newsletter.

Martin R has items for the next edition but reports of summer activities would be welcome.

8/6/06 Kirkland

One further half day on *Sunday July 23* should complete the survey . Once completed a presentation will be made to update the members. Future work would involve targeted excavations and after initial training we would hope to open it up to a wider public Richard Newman would need to be informed.

9/6/06 Conference 2007

It was agreed that the day be on Settlements of the Upper Eden, which could cover periods from the prehistoric to 20th century. One suggestion was that Brian Roberts might be approached to act as chairman for the day. It was agreed a snappy title was require. Date to be decided either late September or early October.

10/6/06 Correspondence

The group will be in the next Current Archaeology Directory CFLA. Information of our Winter Programme will be forward.

11/06/06 Winter Walks

It was agreed to have winter walk or outings Two were planned

Sunday October 19th Long Meg, follow up on Tom Clare's talk

Sunday February 25th 2007 Defences of Cumbria, follow up on Russel Barnes talk

Date and time of next meeting

Thursday 6th October at 7.30pm at Northgate Milburn.